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BIG STRIKE THREATENED

**TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED MEN
WALK OUT OF THE RAILROAD
SHOPS OF MISSOURI PACIFIC
AND IRON MOUNTAIN ROADS.**

(Herald Special.)

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 21.—Promptly at 10 o'clock today twenty-five hundred union employees in twenty-one shops of the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain railroads walked out, in accordance with the strike order issued by President James O'Connell of the International Association of Machinists. They are prepared to remain out indefinitely, tying up this system. A general strike is threatened, affecting all Gould lines.

MR. SCHROEDER DENIES

**That He Tried to Bribe Congressman
Otto Foelker to Defeat New
York Gambling Bill.**

Sing Sing, N. Y., Oct. 21.—In the warden's office at Sing Sing prison today former Quarantine Commissioner Frederick Schroeder of New York, now serving a four years' sentence for looting the Brooklyn Savings Bank, denied to the legislative committee investigating the graft charges that he attempted to bribe Congressman Otto Foelker to defeat the anti-gambling bill. Foelker had testified that Schroeder had offered him fifty thousand dollars to vote against the bill.

Streight Murder Case.

Waco, Texas, Oct. 20.—Out of the second special venire today the jury to try Mrs. M. L. Streight was completed. Its personnel consists of nine farmers, one ginmer and two salesmen. After completing the jury court adjourned until tomorrow morning, at which time Mrs. Streight will be arraigned for trial on the charge of killing her husband.

Ellis Murder Case Disposed.

Beeville, Texas, Oct. 20.—The W. D. Ellis murder case, the trial of which has been progressing for the past twenty days, terminated this afternoon in a mistrial, the jury standing five for conviction and seven for acquittal, and announcing its inability to agree.

THE GERMANIA LANDED

**At Hilla Marie, Quebec, After Making
the Trip From St. Louis In In-
ternational Balloon Race.**

Montreal, Quebec, Oct. 21.—The balloon Germania, one of the contestants in the international race from St. Louis, landed today at Hilla Marie, fifty miles from Haileyburg, according to a dispatch from the latter place. The village has eight hundred population, and is reached three times a week by boats. The Germania crossed Manitoulin and then traveled northeast over Sudbury and Wanapitae and Lake Temiskaming, flying at a low altitude.

15,000 POSTAL CARDS.

E. H. R. Green, Coming to Texas, Will
Send His Friends Greetings.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 20.—Edward H. R. Green, railroad president and jovial son of the richest woman in the world, Hetty Green, relieved the tedium of the trip from New York City to Texas by stopping over in St. Louis today and personally selecting fifteen thousand different kinds of picture postcards.

The millionaire Texan is not going to open a picture postcard shop, nor will the assortment be consigned to any orphan's home or children's hospital. The whole bunch is intended as a home-coming surprise for the financier's personal friends and boon companions down in Texas.

Railroad superintendents, bank presidents, ranchmen, cattle owners, brother Elks and such will receive a card. Each and every one of the fifteen thousand postcards is different; there are no duplicates or blanks. The collection set him back just \$200.

ALDRICH INJURED

**RHODE ISLAND SENATOR DOES
NOT KNOW HOW HE WAS
HURT, BUT IS IN A SERIOUS
CONDITION.**

(Herald Special.)

New York, Oct. 21.—Senator Nelson Aldrich of Rhode Island is slowly recuperating in his New York apartments today from the mysterious accident which befell him last night. The senator himself does not know how he was injured, but believes he was struck by a taxicab or electric car. Despite optimistic reports it is understood his condition causes much anxiety. It is said his main injuries are about the head. Having dressed for dinner, Senator Aldrich strolled outside of his Park Avenue apartments, awaiting his wife and son. Twenty minutes later he staggered into the house and sank into the arms of friends who were there. Physicians remained with him all night.

Dr. S. Holbrook Curtis, the Aldrich family physician, added to the mystery today by refusing to say how the senator received his injuries, other than that he "had been run down." Curtis said: "The senator has a cut over his left eye brow, extending over the forehead, and is badly bruised on the face and head." When asked whether the wounds were the result of an assault, as rumored, Dr. Curtis refused to reply.

GAME CALLED OFF TODAY

**Postponed on Account of Dis-
agreeable Weather.**

Chicago, Oct. 21.—Rain and cold today caused the postponement of the fourth game in the championship baseball series. The game scheduled for today will be played tomorrow, weather permitting.

NO MORE FRANKS.

**Postmaster General Hitchcocks Seeks
to Do Away With Them.**

Washington, Oct. 20.—That convenient thing, the government frank, by means of which members of congress and other government officials have been known to send everything from a cow to a pineapple through the mails, postage free, is going to be put out of business if Mr. Frank H. Hitchcock, the postmaster general, has his way. He took the first step today toward substituting for it a special official stamp and stamped envelopes.

Under the authority given him in the postal savings bank act, he approved a special stamped envelope to be used instead of franks in the free transmission of the official mail resulting from the business of the new postal saving system. He intends to advocate the substitution of this method in the case of all official mail matter, and hopes that congress will enact his idea in this regard into the law of the land.

SUMMARY OF NEWS

LOCAL

Disagreeable weather cut down the attendance at the union revival last night.

Fair weather with frost is indicated for Palestine and vicinity tonight, says weather bulletin.

Engineer J. M. McMillan is remodeling his Magnolia street home.

GENERAL

Twenty-five hundred machinists of the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain systems are out on strike.

Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island was seriously injured in New York City last night.

The German balloon in the international race has reached Hilla Marie, Quebec.

An international aviation meet, to continue for a week, will begin Saturday at Belmont Park, Long Island. Col. Roosevelt visits Boston to speak in behalf of the candidacy of Senator H. C. Lodge.

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CONCLUDES TESTIMONY PEOPLE ARE PROSPEROUS

**Dr. Crippen Remains Confident He
Will Be Freed From Charge of
Murdering His Wife.**

London, Oct. 21.—After a severe cross-examination by the king's counsel, Dr. H. Hawley Crippen this afternoon concluded his testimony in his own defense, and is confident he convinced the jury of his innocence of murdering his wife, Belle Elmore. The crown's evidence is purely circumstantial. Observers at the trial believe a conviction is possible.

The defense closed its case after examining several expert witnesses who sought to discredit the testimony of the prosecution's experts. The defense argued that an operation on Mrs. Crippen could not have formed the scar alleged by the prosecution to have been found on the body discovered in Crippen's house. Barrister Tobin summed up the case for the defense, and the prosecution will sum up tomorrow. Chief Justice Alverstone will charge the jury probably tomorrow afternoon.

Snow at Amarillo.

Amarillo, Texas, Oct. 20.—Amarillo citizens awoke this morning to find the community in the grip of the ice king, with the ground almost totally covered with a sheet of snow and the fall continuing. The temperature stood at 30 degrees and only rose 4 degrees about noon, after which hour the fall was resumed, and the indications are that the mercury will not mark more than 20 degrees by morning. At 2 o'clock this afternoon there had been 1.6 inches of snow, which, when added to the .8 inch rain preceding the crystallization, makes a total moisture of .24 inch.

The forecast indicates a continuation of snow during the night, despite the fact that at 3 o'clock there was a rift in the clouds and the precipitation ceased. The snowfall today was the earliest ever known in October during the past 18 years.

**In Texas, and Find Work Plentiful,
Hence the Cotton Fields Are
Being Neglected.**

(Herald Special.)

San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 21.—The cotton picker right now is in clover; that is, he would be in clover if he could be induced to pick cotton. Record prices are being offered, but there are so many lines of work under way in Texas, all offering good wages, that the cotton grower is experiencing difficulty in having his crop gathered. Employment agencies report a big demand for pickers and, it is stated, fields in certain sections of Central and Northwest Texas are going to waste on account of insufficient help. One dollar a hundred and in several places as high as \$1.25, instead of the usual price of seventy-five cents and fifty cents a hundred, is being offered. Some sections report as much as one-eighth of the crop already gone to waste on account of the scarcity of pickers.

A. P. Abernathy of Waco, Texas, has been to San Antonio offering \$1.25, but has given it up as a bad job, saying: "The laborers of San Antonio seem in too prosperous a condition to be induced to leave the county to pick cotton."

Usually, San Antonio furnishes thousands of such pickers. The Mexicans begin picking cotton in Southwest Texas in July and gradually work their way north. They often have worked in the field until after December first. This year the great amount of grubbing and cutting of cord wood on land being cleared for planting next spring, the railroads under construction, the grading of new city additions and the demand for day laborers as a result of the great amount of construction work going on is giving every Mexican around San Antonio steady work at good pay.

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